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C O N F I D E N T I A L KHARTOUM 2045

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINS, CASC, ET, SU

SUBJ: TENNECO FOUR

REF: KHARTOUM 2037

1. KHALIFA INFORMED EMBOFF 0845 ON SEPTEMBER 5 THAT ZEIN REPORTED NO SIGNS OF TENNECO HOSTAGES AT BORDER AREA. HE ATTRIBUTED THIS TO HEAVY RAINS IN AREA WHICH MAKE PROGRESS VERY DIFFICULT. ZEIN STATED THAT UNDER THESE CONDITIONS HE IS UNABLE MAKE NEW ESTIMATE ARRIVAL TIME.

2. ZEIN'S OWN COMMUNICATIONS WITH HIS ELF COUNTERPARTS ACROSS BORDER IS BY FOOT MESSENGER. ZEIN ASKED THAT MAHAMOUD SHOULD KEEP TRYING TO CALL AT SCHEDULED TIMES. WHEN THIS SYSTEM BREAKS DOWN BECAUSE OF TELEPHONE PROBLEMS ZEIN THEN REPORTS TO KHALIFA'S LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE WHO CONVEYS ZEIN'S MESSAGE THROUGH KHALIFA'S COMMUNICATIONS LINKS.

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